

REDUCTION IN CABLE TRAFFIC

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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT : Staff Study "Reduction in Cable Traffic"

1. Attached for your approval is a staff study addressing itself to various ways and means by which it is believed there can be accomplished a noticeable and consistent reduction in the present cable traffic volume. Inasmuch as the Department of State has already accomplished its 25% reduction in cable traffic volume, we have tailored our recommendations to show our initial decrease in that traffic [redacted] believing that the means established to bring this about will also have an over-all lessening effect on the total cable traffic.

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2. This study was prepared by representatives of this Office, the Cable Secretary, DD/A, DD/P, and the Office of Communications. Inasmuch as the major volume of cable traffic emanates from the DD/P organization, it is planned, subject to your approval of this staff study, to furnish DD/P with various amounts of material gathered in the course of compiling these recommendations, such material perhaps being of additional value to him in trying to accomplish the desired reduction.

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Wymen B. Kirkpatrick  
Inspector General

Attachment  
Staff Study  
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